

THE AYLESWORTH ACT

Lemieux Resorts To Impertinence In Default Of Argument

Ottawa, July 3.—The Aylesworth election bill was taken up in committee to-day and advanced to clause 81, dealing with instructions to deputies regarding oaths, when a voter is challenged.

The amendment of C. O. Alcorn, (Prince Edward Ont.), provided that deputies must be provided with a copy of all oaths and that they be published in the Canada Gazette. Mr. Alcorn claimed that heretofore oaths sent out in certain cases contained no reference to bribery and corruption.

Hon. Mr. Aylesworth argued that the adoption of this amendment would greatly increase the work. He denied that the oaths of qualification and disqualification were printed on different forms, and he said that if both were administered the same administering the oath was responsible. It was quite possible that in some instances deputy returning officers had not thought it necessary to administer both.

The present bill provides for printing both oaths on one form. On division Alcorn's amendment was defeated.

Mr. Alcorn also proposed an amendment to introduce the British system, requiring agents to make satisfactory declaration of all receipts and expenditures before the member may take his seat and further, that all contributions be made to the agent.

The minister thought this amendment unnecessary. Corrupt payments

would not be made by an agent or candidate and the agent who would commit a corrupt act would not hesitate to omit such from the returns.

The opposition suggested that even a corrupt agent might hesitate at a point where the point was not pressed and the amendment was defeated.

The opposition took exception to clause seventeen, which directs deputy returning officers to mark ballots of challenged voters in order to permit the judge at a recount to decide on their eligibility, on the ground it would enable the purchaser to find out if a purchased voter had voted as paid. Mr. Aylesworth announced he would introduce a clause making it penal to mark a ballot with the object of identifying a voter. The opposition leader objected to throwing the validity of the mark on the deputy.

A clause was inserted making the manufacture or importation of trick ballot boxes criminal.

A proposition of R. S. Lake, (Que.), to require all Dominion or provincial government of election agents or canvassers was objected to by the minister on account of the wide extent of its scope. This led to a discussion of cases in point, and Hon. R. Lemieux, who defended the country member, declared that Mr. Rodin was getting impertinent, to which the leader of the Conservatives replied:—

"When the Postmaster General gets in a tight place he gets impertinent, but he had not better get too impertinent or he may hear something he may not like."

Lake's motion was defeated.

Disclosures In Bank

Montreal, July 4.—Sensational features have come to light in connection with the ill-fated Bank of St. John. It will be remembered that in the famous blacklist which was published and being reported to the finance department as good values there was a large amount representing notes of Mr. C. S. Roy, the president's brother. It soon transpired that the discovery had just been made that a great many of these notes were the president's, and that others bearing the name of C. S. Roy had been substituted. This makes Hon. Mr. Roy's position even worse than was at first apparent.

There does not appear to be any hope that the project to liquidate the bank will succeed. Three gentlemen in St. John Gabriel Marchand being of the number, have made an offer to the depositors of fifteen cents on the dollar, but there is a tip from the inside that the process of liquidation, if continued, may give them forty cents, so it is highly probable that an official warning will soon be forthcoming advising the depositors not to sacrifice their holdings.

"Times" Turns All Yellow

London, July 3.—Lord Northcliffe, proprietor of the Daily Mail, has acquired the sole proprietorship of the London Times. The preliminary arrangements have been kept a profound secret and the sale of the paper coming up soon after its organization into a limited liability company to prevent its purchase by C. Arthur Pearson, being taken advantage of. The purchase was completed only within the last ten days. For the first time since 1862, the paper is now owned by one man.

Getting Ahead Of Time

London, July 3.—The daylight bill, a measure by which the United Kingdom is to be led in starting the day's work one hour ahead of the time indicated by the sun, has received the unqualified blessing of the select committee of the house of commons, and all indications point to its becoming effective next April.

The bill proposes to advance the clock one hour in April, in order to promote the greater use of daylight and to give the masses one hour more play time by light of day.

The greatest objection to the measure came from the stock exchange, which presented the argument that its business with America would be dislocated. For this work only two hours are available under the present conditions, and under the proposed bill this time would be cut in half. The committee of the house think this difficulty can be obviated by the order given by those concerned to their present hours.

For scientific purposes and navigation Greenwich time is to be maintained.

HONOR FOR R.N.W.M.P.

Ottawa, July 3.—At the request of the Prince of Wales, twenty or thirty members of the Northwest Mounted Police will be sent to Quebec for the tercentenary celebration to act as a personal bodyguard to him.

JUMPED TO DEATH

Chicago, July 3.—Six girls are reported killed and a score of others injured following a panic in the Kresge, five and ten cent store caused by an explosion in the fireworks department. The girls jumped from a second story window, not waiting for the firemen to spread them.

Peary's Next Attempt

New York July 3.—Commander R. E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, is to make another attempt to locate the north pole. The steamer Roosevelt built for him by the Arctic Club and which made a previous trip will sail from this port on Monday. Peary will not leave New York with his ship but will go by rail to join his party at Sydney, C.B., where the Roosevelt will stop to take on coal. Nearly all the funds required for the expedition have been secured and Peary is hopeful of raising the amount before he leaves the city. The Roosevelt has been thoroughly overhauled and a pick crew of thirty Newfoundlanders with Captain Battell of Briggs, New Brunswick, as sailing master are now waiting the signal to start. A collier will accompany the Roosevelt, as far north as Kiglo, where Peary's coal depot for the expedition is located. Peary's plans for his coming expedition on the coast of Greenland are to place the stars and stripes at the north pole include practically the same route as he did on his last trip, but his tactics will be different and he will utilize the "drift method," so that the moving ice will not carry him beyond the line of his goal. He has planned to overcome many of the obstacles which were encountered on his former expeditions especially the lead or open water which nearly caused the death of himself and his band on their return from the "arduous march."

Esquimaux and dogs will be taken aboard in the White Sound region to assist Peary and his men to make the ice and Peary will endeavor to force the Roosevelt to the same of similar winter quarters on the north coast of the Grant Land, as the winter of 1905-6.

Six Hundred Boatmen Drowned

Victoria, July 3.—News of a boat disaster involving the loss of over six hundred lives at Batavia was brought by the steamer of China, many large vessels of this name were turned over in the harbor during a storm, and the shipping passengers struggling in the water with no chance of rescue. Six more fortunate boats in the neighborhood were already too crowded. To permit any others aboard, others were smashed at by sharks.

About thirty were rescued by fishermen but over six hundred were drowned. During the week 399 corpses were found mutilated by sharks.

Twenty fishermen are reported for some months on Victor Island, rescued from a Brazilian rigging ship, Bon Constant, were landed at Yokohama, according to news received by the Empress of China to-day.

Bad "Good Young Man"

The teacher in the fair grounds at which beer and other have been sold for the past two days have been exposed by Chief License Inspector Day. When they were given permission to sell at the fair grounds without license it was claimed that the beer contained under two per cent of alcohol. Samples of it were forwarded to Edmonton for analysis by license inspectors Champlin and it has been pronounced to contain more than three per cent, and in consequence the boot has been closed down.

Good Young Man, an Indian was arrested in the fair grounds yesterday while drunk by the R.N.W.M.P. He explained that he had not been drinking whiskey and that he had obtained the dose from a place on the grounds. It was later found that he had participated too freely of a quantity of apple cider which had gained control of his upper story. He was fined \$10 at the barracks this morning, and the referee took to the fair the beer was sold.

Drowned In Mill Creek

Two drownings, within two hours and at precisely the same spot, occurred in the river last evening, in the mouth of the Mill Creek, just below the yard of the Edmonton Lumber Company.

Allard Jones, a young Englishman, 21 years of age, who lived at 244 Maywood, Edmonton was drowned at a quarter to six o'clock while in swimming. He got beyond his depth, and before a companion, who was with him could come to his rescue he sank, and did not rise again. His comrades at once reported the accident to the police.

James Mac beer in the city for some time but was out of work, is father resides in Calgary, and his mother is in England. A brother lives in Montreal.

W. C. Clay, aged fifteen a son of Percy Clay, of 122 Elizabeth, Edmonton, the foreman baker in the bakeries of Young City was drowned last month.

Mr. N. Dodge was the second victim of Mill Creek at eight o'clock in the evening. Whether he went there to swim and had got beyond his depth as did Jones is not certain. But that is the only apparent solution of the river for the body.

Clay's parents were apprised of the drowning very shortly afterwards, and although prostrated with grief, his father at once went to the police station in search of grappling iron and organized a party to drag the body.

Up to a late hour last evening, the river of the bodies of the unfortunate young men had been recovered.

Tercentenary Postage Stamps

Ottawa, July 3.—Some time ago the issue of a set of postage stamps was proposed in connection with the tercentenary and these are expected to be on sale next week. The stamps are said to be beautifully designed and executed, the portraits and historic scenes being true and perfect. Values, color and "descriptions" of various stamps are given out to be—

Half cent, grey, picture of Prince and Princess of Wales; one cent green, portraits of Champlain and Carli; two cents, red, King Edward and Queen Alexandra; five cents, blue representation of 17th century Quebec; seven cents, yellow, picture in Montreal and Wolfe; ten cents mauve, picture of Quebec in 1700; fifteen cent, picture of the parliament of the West of the old regime; twenty cents green, portraits of Champlain and Lord Ireland.

The stamps are all larger than the ordinary issue to allow room for the motto "Canada" and for the historic pictures given on the stamps of large dimensions.

L.I.D. No. 26, R. 4.

The following are the minutes of the annual meeting held at the residence of B. H. McManis, June 29th, 1908. Presiding: Councillors Leslie (Chairman) Portus, Grummett and Sanford. Proposed by Mr. Sanford and seconded by Mr. Leslie, that the following accounts stand over till next meeting:—

Carroll	\$ 3.50
W. Ross	13.10
R. Powell	25.50
Champlin	9.50
Plainsville	4.50
Total	\$66.10

Carroll, Proposed by Mr. Sanford, and seconded by Mr. Portus, that the secretary Brie Mr. Rutherford regarding grant promised by him in re Cony Island trail.

Proposed by Mr. Leslie, and seconded by Mr. Portus, that the following recovery of taxes in arrears—Carroll

Laurier Admires Pringle's Earnestness

Ottawa, July 2.—Commissioner Donald Hector McLean has closed his commission to take evidence in the Yukon libel suit of Girouard vs. Rev. Dr. Pringle. It will be remembered that it transpired in the debate in the Commons on June 23 that Registrar Girouard resigned his office, and had brought an action for libel against Rev. Dr. Pringle, in order to clear himself of the serious charges made against him by the latter.

The charges complained of were contained in letters written by Dr. Pringle to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Mr. Oliver, who were, accordingly, both called as witnesses by the plaintiff, Girouard.

Sir Wilfrid produced the correspondence and deposed as to his official relations with Registrar Girouard. It was elicited that, although Mr. Girouard had recently resigned his office as Registrar of the Yukon, he had not yet resigned from the Yukon Council or Local Government of the Yukon.

Sir Wilfrid said that he believed, from his correspondence with the defendant, Dr. Pringle, that the latter was actuated by a desire for the public weal. Sir Wilfrid added that he had never questioned or challenged Dr. Pringle's good faith, or that he was acting otherwise than from a sense of duty, and concluded that he could not help but having great respect for Dr. Pringle who had certainly shown himself to be very much in earnest in assisting what he considered to be the public good.

Hon. Mr. Oliver gave formal evidence and said that he, Mr. Foster was called to prove the receipt by him of similar letters from Dr. Pringle, including a duplicate of one to his Excellency, Lord Grey. Mr. Foster stated that he had found in the correspondence no elements of spite or malice or personal rancor, and fully corroborated Sir Wilfrid's evidence in that regard.

Commissioner McLean will forward the evidence to the court at Dawson, for use at the trial of the libel suit there next month.

Longevity In Canada

Mr. Archibald Blue, the Census Commissioner of Canada, who has recently received the Doctor of Laws degree from McMaster University, Toronto, delivered on that occasion an address based on the evidence which census statistics afford of the "lengthening of the average human life in the Dominion of Canada. Characterizing the mortality statistics of the various provinces as "far too imperfect for scientific use," he avails himself instead of the records of the living as unambiguously better evidence. "The living," he declares, "are not so easily misled as the dead." Taking the several decennial census enumerations since 1871, he finds the average age of those who died in 1871 to have been 23.50 years; during 1881 it was 24.02; during 1891 it had risen to 25.72; and during 1901 to 26.28 years. That is to say, the mean average duration of human life in Canada appears to have been lengthened in thirty years by 3.78 years, an economic fact of the highest possible importance, and one which speaks of a real improvement in sanitary conditions and the better education, no doubt by the people themselves of the ordinary rules of life. Mr. Blue fortifies his conclusion by other quotations from the census returns. The number, for instance, of those of both sexes of the age of sixty-five and over was 365,100 in 1871; 413,100 in 1881, 459,100 in 1891, and 506,100 in 1901. In the group between fifty and sixty-five, the productive period of life, there were 5,874 per 100,000 in 1871, 5,715 in 1881, 5,597 in 1891, and 5,038 in 1901. Increase of 364 in thirty years.

Rev. Dr. John Pringle, of the Yukon will present in the Presbyterian Church here tomorrow morning, instead of in Belmont as formerly announced. The services of the United Baptist and Presbyterian Churches will both be held in the Knox Church to-morrow.

Japanese Cabinet Will Resign

Tokyo, July 3.—It is expected that the cabinet will resign to-morrow morning. The Associated Press was informed to-day that the premier, Marquis Saionji, decided to tender his resignation some days ago, and that at his request the members of his cabinet agreed to resign also; the resignations will be tendered to the emperor in the morning.

The nominal reason for Marquis Saionji's resignation is ill-health. The cabinet are all strict members of the Seiyukai, or Constitutional party and it was therefore necessary that they resign with him. The actual reason for the resignation of the premier is understood to be the position taken by Marquis Inoue, secretary of the home department, regarding the inter-financial policy of Marquis Saionji. This calls for retrenchment in the army and the navy; the postmaster general, however, as demanded for a sinking fund and the yearly repayment of loans. Marquis Inoue recently attacked the present government's policy regarding finances. This gave offense to Marquis Saionji, who decided to resign alone. He consulted with the other ministers and was by them persuaded to accept the resignations of all the members of the cabinet. An unknown quantity in the Constitution is the position the Emperor may take. He possibly may decline to accept the resignations, but this is considered extremely unlikely.

Marquis Katsuma who was formerly premier, probably will succeed Marquis Saionji, although Admiral Count Amato, former minister of marine is a strong candidate for the premier ship. The last opinion in well informed circles, however, is that this position will go to Marquis Katsuma, in which event Count Komura at present Japan's ambassador at London, is almost certain to succeed Count Hayashi, the present minister of foreign affairs.

Count Inoue probably will succeed Count Komura at London. It is believed that Marquis Katsuma will get the position of finance since no one is anxious to accept. There will be no changes in the ministries of marine and war.

The Genro, or elder statesmen, will be consulted immediately with regard to the appointment of a premier. Marquis Katsuma is a member of the Genro, and Admiral Count Amato has considerable influence therein. There is reason to believe that Marquis Saionji will support Marquis Katsuma as the leader of the Seiyukai which has a majority in the diet and Marquis Katsuma is the leader of the Rikusei club which has forty votes. Such a combination would give Marquis Katsuma an absolute majority. It is doubtful if any other man in the past of premier could secure full parliamentary support. In best informed circles it is declared positively that the general policy of government will not be changed. The present program of retrenchment will be carried out.

ANNUAL ORANGE CHURCH PARADE

The Annual Church Parade of L. O. L. 1854 will be held on Sunday next, July 5th, to the Methodist church. All Orangemen in the city are given a cordial invitation to attend and are requested to meet at the Orange Hall on First Ave. North at 7:00 p.m. after their trip to Calgary in time they will head the procession.

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UNWORTHY OF OLIVER

(Tribune)

The Tribune has always been friend of the Hon. Frank Oliver, Minister of Interior. There is something about the out-spoken Westerner that has always appealed to us. We cannot forget the dark days, extending over many years when Mr. Oliver stood out in this country for a fair deal, when he called a spade a spade in the most vigorous manner. His record in the Northwest Council was highly creditable to him. His earlier record in the national Council at Ottawa was unimpeachable. It was a sad blow to his many thousands of admirers in this western country to find him debasing, with all his ability, the autonomy bill, which deprived the two new provinces of their lands, their timber, their minerals, and their undoubted right to control the educational system. However it was impossible for Mr. Oliver to at gain, or occupy the position as Minister of the Interior, and not make such a defense. With regard to the administration of his department, we think it has been singularly straight. In contrast with the carnival of graft that has gone on since Mr. Oliver's death, it is a bright star. That he should have gone so far as to defend the misdeeds of his predecessor has to some extent antagonized his friends. Whether or not it was due to a touch of chivalry, or to a conviction that by following such a policy he would render himself more solid with his own party, which had always regarded him with suspicion, we have for the public themselves to decide.

The point, however, that we started

out to make in this article was that while we could forgive Mr. Oliver for almost anything he has done up to the present (with the exception of the autonomy bill above noted) it is difficult for all who thought they understood his character to find in so many of his public utterances the instincts of a scoundrel between what the Liberals are now doing and what the Tories did when they were in office. The unquenchable argument sits very badly on Mr. Oliver. It is so unlike him. Everybody knows that there were very serious lapses in the Conservative administration. Everybody condemned the scandals connected with that administration. Everybody condemned the manner in which the lands were squandered. Everybody condemned their extravagance, and everybody who voted against that administration the short-comings of the Conservative Government joined with the Liberals (in so doing) voted against it for the purpose of securing an administration that would put an end to all such misdeeds. It is therefore, quite unworthy of Mr. Oliver to continually point to the short-comings of the Conservatives in order to excuse or palliate those in his own party. We like to think well of Mr. Oliver and sincerely trust that his hint will induce the western stalwarts to put a period to such arguments as he has recently been using.

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1. Honest appropriation and expenditure of public moneys in the public interest

2. Appointment of public officials upon consideration of capacity and personal character and not of party service alone.

3. More effective provisions to punish bribery and fraud at elections, to ensure thorough publicity as to expenditures by political organizations, to prevent the accumulation of campaign funds for corrupt purposes and to prohibit contributions thereto by corporations, contractors and promoters, to expedite hearing of election petitions and to prevent collusive arrangements for the withdrawal or compromise thereof, to provide for a thorough investigation to corrupt practices and if necessary to appoint an independent prosecuting officer to enforce the laws so amended.

4. A thorough and complete reformation of the laws relating to the Civil Service so that future appointments shall be made by an independent commission acting upon the report of examiners after competitive examination.

5. Such reform in the selecting of members of the Senate as will make that chamber a more useful and representative body.

6. A more careful selection of the sources from which immigration shall be sought, a more rigid inspection of immigrants and the abolition of the bounty system except under very special circumstances and for the purpose of obtaining particularly desirable classes of immigrants.

7. The management and development of the public domain (in which are to be included great national franchises) for the public benefit and under such conditions that a respectable proportion of the increment of value arising therefrom shall inure to the people.

8. The operation and management of our government railways by an independent commission free from partisan control or interference.

9. Development and improvement of our national waterways the equipment of national ports, the improvement of transportation facilities and subsequent reduction of freight rates between the place of production and market, whether at home or abroad and the establishment of a thorough system of cold storage.

10. The re-organization of the present railway commission as a public utilities commission with wider power and more extended jurisdiction, so as to establish a single authority control over all corporations owning or operating public utilities or invested with franchises of a national character.

11. The establishment after due investigation of a system of national telegraphs and telephones under conditions which shall be just to capital already invested in these enterprises.

12. The improvement of existing postal facilities, especially in newly developed portions of the country, and inauguration, after proper inquiry as to cost, of a system of free rural mail.

13. A fiscal policy which will promote the production within Canada of all useful articles that can be advantageously manufactured from or by means of natural resources, having due regard to the interests of the consumer as well as to the just claims of our wage-earning population.

14. The promotion by negotiation and other constitutional means of a system of mutual preferential trade within the Empire.

15. The restoration of the public lands to the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan upon fair terms.

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Around the City

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Canada And Germany

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Burns For Australia

London, July 3.—Tommy Burns, the heavyweight pugilist, will leave here for Australia on July 7. He has signed articles for three fights during the visit of the United States fleet to Australian waters. His first fight will be with Bill Lang, who is credited with being the best Australian heavyweight. This will take place in Melbourne. He will also fight Spinks, whom he recently defeated in London. The Australian syndicate has guaranteed Burns \$25,000 for the three contests.

BASE BALL

On the Strathcona grounds last night the city team went down to defeat before the Young Liberal Club team by a score of 5-1. It was Strathcona's off-night. McLaughlin in the box was hit hard, while fielding and lack of playing the proper game at critical moments finished the tale. On the other hand the Edmonton team was in the game all the time. Vining in the box was in fine form; and kept them down well. Their hitting was hard and their errorless, and they won the game on their merits. Strathcona made their only score in the sixth inning, but it was a crossing the plate. Edmonton secured two in the second and in the fourth, in the fifth and one in the seventh.

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FOUND.—On Whyte Avenue, check — Owner may have same by applying to this office and paying expenses. 470p

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Auction Sale

Farm Stock, Implements etc

The undersigned have received instructions from Mr. T. J. White to sell by public auction at his farm S. E. Quarter of 18-52-22 to 10 miles east and 2 miles south of Strathcona.

Thursday, July 9

the following HORSES

1 sorrel mare 8 years old wt. 1,000, 1 sorrel mare 9 years old wt. 900, 1 bay mare in foal 7 years old wt. 1,500, 1 black filly 2 year old driver, 1 heavy draught filly, 2 2-year old colts, 1 yearling filly.

CATTLE, PIGS ETC.

4 milch cows, 3 heifers 2 yrs. old, 1 1/2 yrs. old, 3 heifers 6 months old, 1 sow with 9 pigs 50 lbs.

IMPLEMENTS

2 farm wagons, one new, 1 hat, 1 set harrows new, 1 set disc harrows new, 1 jump, 2 plows, 2 set double harnesses, 1 Chaffin incubator and brooder.

FURNITURE

Cook stove, heater, beds and all household furniture, also tools, chairs, tables, glass, and numerous other small articles.

Lunch at noon

Sale at 12 o'clock sharp.

TERMS OF SALE

All sums of \$15 and under to be cash; over that, six months credit on approved joint lien notes bearing interest at 8 per cent per annum, with 5 per cent off for cash on credit accounts.

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